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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: M. UMEMURA, et al

Serial No.: 09/880,824

Filed: June 15, 2001

For: SERVICE PROVIDING SYSTEM

Group: 3629

Examiner: I. N. Borissov

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL - EXPEDITED**  
**PROCEDURE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116**

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

April 2, 2007

Sir:

In response to the November 2, 2006 Office Action, please amend the  
above-referenced application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims**

**Remarks** are included following the amendments.